

Amendments to the Specification

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 4, line 21, and ending on page 5, line 4, with the following amended paragraph:

In another embodiment, the present invention includes a removable button module for covering a button of a portable computing device. The removable button module includes a button frame module forming a cavity that aligns with the button of the portable computing device. Furthermore, the removable button module includes a membrane layer disposed on an outer side of the button frame module and covering an opening of the cavity. It is understood that the removable button module is for attaching to the portable computing device to cover the button of the portable computing device. The membrane layer is disposed [[above]] over the button frame module when the removable button module is attached to the portable computing device to cover the button.